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For: Distributing Images to Multiple
Recipients

Examiner: Justin Foster

Art Unit: 2624

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSECommissioner for Patents
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Sirs:

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

1 1.(Currently Amended) A computer-implemented method of distributing image prints to
2 a plurality of recipients, the method comprising:
3 receiving an order specifying a plurality of recipients and, for each specified recipient, a
4 set of one or more images associated with that recipient;
5 for each of the plurality of recipients specified in the received order, printing at least one
6 copy of each image in the recipient's image set; and
7 distributing the printed image copies to their respective associated recipients; and
8 prior to printing, dividing the received order into a plurality of sub-orders, each sub-order
9 corresponding to a different recipient.

1 2. (As Filed) The method of claim 1 wherein images in a first recipient's image set differ
2 from images in a second recipient's image set.